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- 25X1 5. On 28 November, the Nachrichten Kaserne was occupied by about 1,500 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets. On 18 November, 4 fatigue details of 25 to 30 troops were observed at Kleiner Anger and Grosser Anger. [redacted]
- 25X1 [redacted] they included a few soldiers wearing black-bordered crimson epaulets. Motor vehicles [redacted]
- 25X1 [redacted] were seen entering and leaving the installation.
- 25X1 6. On 28 November, the Flak Kaserne was occupied by about 1,500 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets and about 300 troops wearing black-bordered crimson epaulets. On 19 November, about 500 troops wearing red-bordered black, blue-bordered black and black-bordered crimson epaulets and carrying baggage were lined up at the athletic field. [redacted]
- 25X1 [redacted] 45 lorries without engine at the Erueckfeld railroad station. On 17 November, an undetermined number of troops received instruction on 4 x 76-mm AA guns and 1 ballistic director in the AAA emplacement east of the athletic field. On 26 November, 3 covered 37-mm AA guns were observed in front of the ordnance shop. On 23 and 26 November, 60 to 80 troops were drilling in the barracks yard and 100 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets were firing at the firing range. Motor vehicles seen en route to and from the installation [redacted]
- 25X1 [redacted]
- 25X1 7. On 28 November, the Herrenkrug Kaserne was occupied by about 1,500 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets and the Anger Kaserne was occupied by about 1,200 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets and olive-drab epaulets with medical corps insignia. On 18 November, reports of rifles were heard from the Anger Kaserne. [redacted]
- 25X1 [redacted] 3
- 25X1 T-34 tanks, 25 trucks and about 10 motorcycles in the barracks area. [redacted]
- [redacted] 8. At about 2 p.m., on 10 November, a number of flatcars carrying 6 x 132-mm rocket launchers [redacted] which [redacted] were factory-new, was seen at the Magdeburg-Buckau railroad station, proceeding toward southeast.
- 25X1 9. At about 8 a.m. on 11 November, 20 trucks [redacted]
- 25X1 [redacted] were seen on Wilhelm Pieck bridge, proceeding westward. At about 6 a.m. on 22 November, about 90 troops with baggage were seen en route toward the barracks installations, coming from the direction of the town.
- 25X1 10. On 18 November, the Hindenburg Kaserne, the Seeckt Kaserne and the Encke Kaserne were occupied to capacity.
- 25X1 11. On 25, 26 and 27 November, T-34/85 tanks [redacted] were seen near the firing range of the Herrenkrug Kaserne.
- 25X1 12. Between 10 and 27 November, [redacted] 6 light AA guns in the AAA emplacement near the railroad bridge.
- 25X1 1. [redacted] Comment. According to reports on transportation, the troop train observed is believed to have [redacted] left the zone via Guben.

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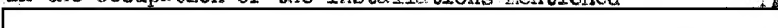
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2.  Comment. Except for the strength figures for the Seeckt Kaserne and the Flak Kaserne, which were overestimated and underestimated respectively, the information, prior to late November, does not indicate any change in the occupation of the installations mentioned in reports 

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The AAA emplacement near the railroad bridge has also been known for some time. 

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